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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : Ferdinand Kristen et al.
SERIAL NO. : 09/847,806
FILED : May 2, 2001
FOR : ROTATING ELECTRIC HAND TOOL IMPLEMENT
WITH SAFETY ROUTINE
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AMENDMENT Under 37 C.F.R. §116

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 12, 2005 setting forth a three-month period for response. The Examiner rejects claims 1 and 3-5 as being unpatentable over the prior art.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: